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# THE CRISIS.

CHILLICOTHE, MISSOURI, DECEMBER 7, 1882—SUPPLEMENT.

## LOCAL HITS.

—Christmas will be here.  
—Berry is coming to a future.  
—Only one left, last Monday.  
—Pine trees at 70¢ a bushel.  
—A new boy at Santa North's.

—Mr. Henry Wallingford is surveyor.  
—Young men waiting in line of boys at the Constitution office.

—Willie (black) Christmas, in a white one.  
—When you want a first-class meal, go to Swain's.

—William DeBarn is City Attorney for Cunningham.

—Just received, a fine line of cigars, at 45¢.  
—Miss Inez Taghader is visiting friends in town.

—When you come to town don't forget Swain's Restaurant.

—High School was down to Shelby Co., last week on business.

—Five cigars and tobacco, at Will Turner's.

—Miss Rose Mace, of Iowa, is visiting relatives in town on Friday morning.

—The dress and coat of the First M. E. Church having been repaired.

—Mr. D. H. Hooten and son George returned from Kentucky, Monday night.

—Guthrie's restaurant, when you are in the city, and you want a good meal.

—Miss Emma Woodford (for) Kington, last Saturday, on a visit to friends.

—Mr. A. H. Dunlap has accepted a position in a photographic gallery at Kansas City.

—Prof. T. Berry Smith and wife left for their home in Glasgow, last Monday morning.

—The different Sunday schools in this city are preparing for the Christmas festival.

—County Treasurer McNally's office is first door south of Chillicothe Savings Association.

—Rev. D. B. Lake left yesterday, for Auburn, Nebraska. His wife will accompany him home.

—Cross Betsley came down from Patmosburg, Saturday evening, on a visit to the home folks.

—We call attention to the Holiday advertisement of Henry Kaser, the Live Grocer. Read it.

—Mr. Henry Hutton, who has been visiting his brother in Texas, returned home, Saturday.

—The railroad boom still booms, and we don't think it will stop booming on the road is complete.

—Mr. W. J. Porter, who had been visiting relatives in Ohio, for some weeks, returned home, last week.

—The presents given at Signor Boyen's last entertainment at the City Hall, were neither numerous nor costly.

—A gentleman from Brookfield, Mr. Otto Lashley, has accepted a situation in Mr. S. F. Boyce's drug store.

—Mr. J. C. Frazer has removed his stock of drugs from Bedford to Sumner, the new town on the Wabash road.

—Dr. Cal Rhea, of Grand River township, came up Thursday, to eat Thanksgiving turkey with the home folks.

—It didn't rain, last Saturday. There is nothing remarkable to that, only it did rain on the eight preceding Saturdays.

—Mrs. Seth M. Green, who has been visiting friends in Texas, returned to her home in Dawn, this county, last Friday.

—Mr. William Richards and wife, of Gallatin, came down, last Friday, on a short visit to Mr. J. V. Powell and wife.

## New York Store, CHILLICOTHE, MO.

## HOLIDAY GOODS

—FOR THE—

## MILLION!

A car load of Christmas goods now on the way, and will be open and in place before the 12th.

This will be by far the finest display we have ever made and will be worth the attention of parties from a distance.

## To Close the Season.

The remainder of our Silk Dolman and Circular stock at and below cost.

Silk Dolmans beginning at \$9 and running to \$30. A few Silk Circulars at from 20 to \$32.

Our whole line of expensive Beaver Dolmans, garments that have been selling at 20 to \$40, at cost.

Children's Flannel Suits that we have been selling at 3, 3.50 and \$3.75, all down to \$2.50.

A few women's Flannel Suits at \$4, reduced from 8 and 9.

500 Women's and Misses Gossamer Circulars, all sizes, \$1.25.

We open Thursday or Friday 100 pairs White Wool Blankets from the recent New York auction: warm as the winter is the price will sell them.

30 pieces 5-4, 8-4 and 10-4 bleached and brown Sheetings to be closed at New York quotations.

## Big Bargains in Clothing!

120 suits selected from our stock, remainders of lots, one, two and three of a kind, at and below cost.

80 Overcoats, one to five of a kind and covering a range of \$2 to \$20, at cost and below.

Coats and vests from \$18 suits for \$6.

Coats and vests from \$22 suits for \$9.

We open about the 12th an immense stock of Clothing just purchased in New York at a closing sale of one of the prominent firms of that city. The prices will be largely under value.

200 Boy's Suits received this week and selling at the ordinary wholesale cost.

REMEMBER, that we carry a very large line of Youth's and Men's Fine Clothing, at 25, 30 and \$35; goods that cannot be equalled by the best custom tailors of this section.

## One Price and Plain Figures!

Respectfully,  
**SMITH & McVEY.**

### FREE TO ALL.

A Handsome Mantel Ornament, consisting of an Artist's Easel and a Beautiful Landscape Picture in Colors, will be mailed free to every person who will send us the names and post office addresses of ten young people. Each address to be different and plainly written. Address, THE ASSISTANT PUBLISHING CO., 5th and Chestnut Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

—Charles Woltskill, a colored man, was accidentally shot and seriously wounded, at Bedford, last Saturday. Messrs. E. M. Austin and Thomas Powers were shooting at a mark with Winchester rifles and Woltskill was pointing out the results of the shots, when one of the bullets went wide of the mark and struck him in the hip. The wound is not considered dangerous.

—The transit of Venus across the sun's disc occurred, yesterday. The time occupied was from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. Between these hours a snow storm prevailed and the sun was not visible for a moment.

—Last Friday, license to marry was issued to Milton Campbell and Miss Lenora Humphreys; also to Levi J. Montgomery and Miss Susie M. Brassfield.

## McILWRATH & CO.

Have this year a stock of goods to offer for the

## WEDNESDAYS

Which is second to none outside of St. Louis. We mean to keep up the reputation we have long enjoyed, of having

The Best Book Store in North Missouri. This year we exceed all previous efforts in presenting

Fine Goods, Large Varieties and at Low Prices.

We cannot enumerate here the different lines of goods we have in stock but will call your attention to a few.

## BOOKS

Is simply immense, including BIBLES, HYMN BOOKS, PRAYER BOOKS, JUVENILE BOOKS of all grades and kinds; Works of Travel, Biography, History and Fiction; Poems in all the latest and most ELEGANT forms of Binding. Autograph Albums were never so beautiful in design and finish as they are this year. Our stock embraces all that is NEW.

## PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS

Are also put up this year in a style which lays all former efforts in the shade; our stock is very large.

CARD CASES—IN LEATHER, PLUSH AND PEARL.

POCKET BOOKS, FANCY BAGS,

CHRISTMAS CARDS, DRESSING SETS, WRITING DESKS,

WORK BOXES, SMOKING SETS,

MUSTACHE CUPS, FANCY CUPS and SAUCERS,

MOTTO MUGS, CARD RECEIVERS,

IN PAPETRIES we have a line which would form a GOOD HOLIDAY STOCK, for any ordinary house. PA-

PER, ENVELOPES, VISITING AND RECEIVING CARDS are this year put in boxes of exquisite design and finish. *Gold Pens, Holders, and Pencils, A Fine Line of Ladies and Gents' Pocket Knives, Meerschaum pipes. In dolls we beat them all.* Both in the great variety of kinds to select from, and the price.

We have all the usual *Games, Blocks, Cards, &c.*, which the young delight to amuse themselves with.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES

## A NO. ONE BOOK STORE,

Stocked with everything in the Book and Stationery Line which the markets afford. We will be pleased to see you all whether you buy goods or not.

Remember that we have lines of goods to offer you that no other house in town pretends to carry, and in those lines other houses do carry, we defy competition in price, style, quality and variety of stock.

## W. McIlwrath & Co.,

EAST SIDE PUB. SQUARE, CHILLICOTHE, MO.

### Wheeling Township School Teachers.

The teachers of Wheeling township, acting on the suggestion of Prof. McIntosh, held a preliminary meeting, last Saturday, and organized a permanent teachers association for that township.

Permanent officers elected: Frank Ogden, president; Wm. Hoge, vice-president; Emma Gould, secretary; Fannie Thomas, assistant secretary; J. H. Robinson, treasurer.

Next meeting will be at Wheeling, on December 16, 1882. An interesting programme is announced in which J. H. Robinson, Miss Emma Gould, Fannie Thomas, Wm. Stewart, Miss Ida Whitebread, Miss Hattie Thompson, Wm. Ogden and Miss Julia Reed will take part.

Forming this association is a good move in the right direction. Other townships should follow suit.

—Mrs. R. L. Seay and Mrs. S. L. Harris went over to Moersville to be present at the Crystal Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ireland, which event occurred last Saturday evening.

—Thanksgiving services were held at the First M. E. Church, last Thursday morning. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. Y. Blakey, of the M. E. Church, South.

### DIED.

Died—At her residence in Kansas, Friday, December 1st, 1882, Mrs. Anna Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chasteen Pearson. Aged 39 years, 2 months, 13 days. She leaves a husband and four children in Kansas and her parents and three brothers in Missouri to mourn her loss.

She has crossed the dark river of death. The hand of God has stopped her breath. Her eyes are closed in the last long sleep. But dearest friends, Oh! do not weep.

She has gone to the land of light and love, And joins in the songs of saints above. She awaits your coming on the other shore, With the many friends who have gone before.

Then brothers and parents, dry your tears, For it may not be but a few more years, 'Till God shall bid His angels come To take us all to His heavenly home.

A Friend.

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